

THE PATRIOTIC LEAGUE.

ASSEMBLING OF ITS CONVENTION TO-DAY.

Several Noted Kahunas on Hand—A Call on the ex-Queen—Proceedings up to Date.

The Maui delegation to the Arion Hall pow-wow of the Hawaiian Patriotic League came in on the Claudine yesterday.

It consisted of W. B. Keanu, Thos. Clark, T. B. Lyons, and David Kanuha of Wailuku, J. Kaneali of Waihee, D. S. Kapono of Honouliuli, J. Kamaele and J. Kalua of Makawao. S. W. Kaai of Hana, K. H. Makena of Lahaina, and S. Kahalehulu of Molokai; also two wahines, Mrs. Cockett of Waikapu and Mrs. E. Scholtz of Wailuku.

Among them, are two old eminent Kahunas, Kapono of Honouliuli, Maui, and Kahalehulu of Wailuku, Molokai. The former distinguished practitioner has no less than thirteen Aumakua gods at his beck and call.

Five of the delegates were members of the late legislature and they were always sure for voting on the side of the Lottery and everything else that was corrupt.

These men and women are, as a matter of course, ardent supporters of Mrs. Dominis and of her pretensions to the throne. Yesterday they had an audience with her ex-Majesty at Washington Place, and the two kahunas gave her the results of their mock astrology—all of which raised her spirits and made the great occasion joyful. Mrs. Dominis is reported to have expressed her satisfaction that kahunas of the eminence reached by Kapono and Kahalehulu, should deign to appear as ordinary delegates. She thought it an auspicious omen of the success of the convention to which they were accredited.

At the meeting of the Patriotic League this morning, the following business was done:

President J. A. Cummins and Vice-President J. Nawahi presided. Prayer was offered by the Rev. S. E. Timoteo, of Wailuku. Vice-President J. Nawahi made a few remarks to the audience, that he wished everything should be conducted in as peaceable a manner as possible, and he then called the Delegates from the other Islands to stand up, and bring forward their names.

The following delegates reported from Hawaii:

South Hilo: S. F. Pihonua, Henry West. North Hilo: Hoakima, Central Hilo: M. K. Moahou. He stated that he did not receive his Commission as a Delegate from that District because he had left before it was ready.

Hamakua, J. H. Halawale; North Kohala, S. H. Kahukula. Kona, J. Naaniani Kaneali.

The following reported from Maui: Wailuku—Jno. Richardson, Thomas Clark, Thos. B. Lyons, Honouliuli, D. S. Kapono Opio, Makawao, J. Kamaele, J. Kalua, J. Au. Lahaina, M. Makena.

This is the delegation from Molokai: Halawa, A. P. Paehole; Pukou, J. K. Kakao; Ualapu, J. K. Kaikuanani; A. K. Kakaakali, Uwahinu; Wailua and Pelekunu, S. Kahalehulu, Himeni and Kooau.

The following came from Kauai: Waimea, J. A. Akina; Hanalei, D. W. Kamaliikane; Hanalei, J. Molokai; Lihue, S. Kaleikini; Kilauea, G. W. Mahikoa and Chas. Kahe.

The Oahu delegation is as follows: Honolulu District 5, D. W. Pua; 2nd District, Keawe; Wailuku, Naukana; Waianae, Kallieha; Honolulu 1st District, S. F. Keiki; Ewa, J. K. Kaup; 2nd District, Honolulu, J. K. Pendergast; Waimanalo and Koolau, Kimo.

A. P. Paehole, moved that a committee of three members be appointed to investigate the commissions of each Delegate from each district. Carried.

The President appointed. A. P. Paehole of Molokai, J. A. Akina of Kauai and Henry West of Hawaii.

S. W. Kaai, moved that the President should proceed and lay before this meeting the business for which it was called for. After a discussion by other delegates the motion was laid aside.

S. N. Kahukula from Kohala, said that he was sent by his fellow countrymen to put through these measures only: (I) to restore Liliuokalani, (II) to create an independent Government, and (III) never to adopt annexation.

These matters were fully discussed by Richardson, Bipikane, J. Nawahi and several others, and it was thought that it would not be advisable to talk about them at a public meeting but it should be left until some other time, to be discussed before the members only of this league.

President appointed a committee of one, A. P. Paehole to investigate the petition presented by the different delegates throughout the group.

A committee was asked to be appointed to go and wait on Commissioner J. H. Blount and find out what would be the proper time for the Committee to call on him with the resolution of the League. Hon. J. A. Cummins was named.

A committee of five members was also appointed to investigate the different resolutions which were already prepared by the different delegates. J. E. Bush of Honolulu, Thos. Clark of Wailuku, S. H. Kahukula of Kohala, J. A. Akina of Waimea, and D. S. Kapono Opio of Honouliuli.

The different delegates were then introduced to the President and to the Vice President. Remarks were made by J. A. Cummins and J. Nawahi on behalf of the Honolulu League, and A. P. Paehole and L. W. P. Kaneali on behalf of the delegates.

A. P. Paehole presented a report on the petitions and said that they all pertained to restoration, a monarchy and anti-annexation.

J. E. Bush then came forward to make his report on the different reso-

lutions, but before he could do so, Jno. Richardson objected to have anybody present who is not a member of this league. He said, that the matter must be kept private.

Reporters and others were asked to take their leave.

After the private business on the matter of resolutions, the Committee of one J. A. Cummins were then sent to wait on Commissioner J. H. Blount and find out when it would be advisable for the Committee to present their resolution.

The meeting then adjourned, until 3 P. M.

The natives assembled at the hour mentioned—3 o'clock P. M. After listening to a few unimportant remarks from L. W. P. Kaneali, the meeting adjourned until 1 P. M. to-morrow.

RAID ON SWIPE SHOPS.

Three of Them Closed by Marshal Hitchcock.

Two swipe shops, as they are known in police nomenclature, were raided on Saturday night, by Captain Schlemmer and Roundsman Kaapa, and one last night by the same. There is a cosmopolitan air in the nationality of the proprietors of these shops, one being Gabrielle, a Portuguese on King and Aala streets, one by Taraoka a Japanese on Pauahi street, near Smith, and the third by Lui, a Hawaiian on King street. These shops have been retailing a villainous compound which, in absence of a better name, they called by that innocent and happy beverage which has often cheered our child hood's palate, root beer. A large quantity of this "root beer" in barrels and bottles, was captured, the barreled goods emptied out to the delectation of a thirsty neighborhood with pails and pannikins, and the bottled goods retained. Swipes are supposed to be a decoction of ammonia, plug tobacco and rusty nails with the regular blend of Aqua Pura. Govt. Chemist Lyons is busy on its analysis and when his verdict is rendered, the prosecution will proceed with the cases which have been remanded till Wednesday. Marshal Hitchcock is making an aggressive stand against the further continuance of the vile holes, where illicit liquor is sold, and has instructed his officers, to use all the means in their power, to stop the traffic in adulterated compounds.

JAPANESE TAKE HOLD.

They Succeeded the Chinese as Laborers at Makiki.

A new departure has been taken place in the personnel of the laborers at the Government Forest at Makiki and the Chinese hitherto employed have been replaced by Japanese. This was done by Commissioner of Agriculture Marsden. The Commissioner is quite convinced from long experience that the Japanese are the most skillful horticulturalists in the world and he confidently expects to benefit by the fact. Inside of two years he promises that the fertile slopes and valleys of Makiki will blossom like the hills and valley of Cashmere.

Masquerade To-night.

A benefit masquerade is on the tapis for this evening at the Beretania St. Army. All who attend are promised the best of music, refreshments, and a general good time. Berger's String Orchestra will be on hand, and also the brass band of the Progresso Lusitano. As this ball is for the best of objects—charity—it should be well patronized. The grand march commences at 8 o'clock prompt.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Pay day at the government offices. First day in May term, Judge Cooper presiding.

The Queen of May got wet if she got up early this morning.

An invoice of American flag buttons is expected on the next steamer.

Black sand from Punchbowl is being shipped to Pearl City for finishing walks.

Quite a number of the Patriotic League delegates are stopping at the Eagle.

John Ena entertained a large number of friends yesterday at his pineapple farm among the hills.

Dr. Montsarrat reports the horse which was shot by Patrolmen Scott last Friday as certain to recover.

Great interest is being felt about town in the contents of the newspaper mail now en-route from the coast.

The Band will not play at Emma Square this evening having been engaged by the Masquerade Festival at the Armory.

The Woman's Board of Missions will meet at the Central Union Church to-morrow at 2:30 P. M. Executive Committee at 2 P. M.

Wm. Wond, deputy sheriff at Ewa came in this morning by the early train to report "on duty" and draw the salaries for his police force.

Three car-loads of beef cattle were brought in by the noon train from the O. K. & L. Co. The cattle were from the O. K. & L. Co's ranch and were for local butchers.

On Tuesday evening May 9th, it is the intention of Mr. Wray Taylor to give an organ concert at Kaumakapili church, when he proposes to place before the public a very interesting programme.

At the morning service of the Second Congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Sunday, Mr. H. S. Manning of H. B. M. S. Hyacinth sang the solo in the anthem "Hear me when I call."

Mr. Manning has a most beautiful tenor voice and his singing was a great treat. The musical service altogether was excellent. A large congregation was present.

THE ORGAN DEDICATION.

A Notable Musical Event at the Central Union Church.

The new pipe organ in the Central Union Church was dedicated Saturday evening, with a special programme of vocal and instrumental music. No admission fee was charged, and as a consequence the church was crowded in every part. The new instrument makes a very imposing appearance upon entering the church, yet it by no means fills up the space in which it is erected. The front shows a number of large pipes, grouped and decorated in colors, in harmony with the interior of the building. The case work is of a light wood and makes a very neat appearance. The organ is a decided ornament to the church, and the tone is splendid.

The following programme was rendered:

Doxology—"Hymn to the Eternal." Mrs. A. F. Judd. "Hark! hark! the organ loudly peals." St. Andrew's and Central Union Chorus. Bach-Goodman—"Ave Maria." Miss L. F. Dale. Palmer—"O, Lord, how excellent." Kaumakapili Choir. "From the Cross uplifted high." Mrs. Patsy, Mrs. Judd, Messrs Booth and Sullivan—"Hearken unto Me, my people." St. Andrew's Choir. "Within this Sacred dwelling." Mr. H. Jagger. Anthem—"Come, let us sing." Kaumakapili Choir. Mendelssohn—"Sonata, adagio, allegro, fuga." Miss Dale. "Fear not ye, O Israel." Miss Beckwith. Organ Solo—"For the display of the organ." Mr. Wray Taylor.

At half-past seven o'clock sharp the dedication commenced with the singing of the doxology by the entire audience, Mrs. A. F. Judd presiding at the organ. Before leaving the organ bench Mrs. Judd played "Concerto"—"Hymn to the Eternal." This was followed by a beautiful setting of music to the words "Hark! hark! the organ loudly peals," and sang by the St. Andrew's and Central Union choruses combined. Mr. Wray Taylor manipulated the organ. As was expected there was a fine body of tone from such a large number of singers. The singing of Gooden's "Ave Maria" by Miss Dale was beautiful, her fine voice ringing through the church. The accompaniment to the numbers was: Piano, Miss Castle; Organ, Mrs. Judd, Violin, Mr. Rosen; Violoncello, Mr. Wray Taylor. The next number a quartette "From the Cross uplifted high" by Mrs. Patsy, Mrs. Judd, Messrs Booth and Wakefield was well rendered, all the voices blending nicely. Miss Dale accompanied.

It was evident that something good was expected from the St. Andrew's choir with its well trained body of voices. The choir gave an Anthem by Sir Arthur Sullivan, "Hearken unto Me, my people." It was magnificently sung, the shading being perfect, and the organ accompaniment by Mr. Taylor excellent. Mr. Henry Jaeger has a fine bass voice for a young man and he used it very tastily in "Within the sacred dwelling" by Mozart; Mrs. Judd presiding at the organ. Next came the Kaumakapili choir with Mr. Berger at the organ. The number was well rendered.

Miss Dale played on the new instrument a Mendelssohn Sonata. In her hands the music was given a very skillful interpretation, and the number was listened to with very close attention by the audience. Miss Beckwith, the pastor's daughter, sang very effectively "Fear not ye, O Israel" with organ accompaniment by Mrs. Judd. The last piece has a solo by Mr. Wray Taylor for the purpose of displaying the various stops in the organ.

He introduced several well known airs and by skillful work, let his hearers listen to all the beauties of the instrument, finally letting out the full capacity of the organ in the Star Spangled Banner, America and Hawaii Pono.

It has a fitting conclusion to an excellent programme. A collection was taken up during the evening, for the organ fund.

The new instrument contains the following stops:

GREAT ORGAN. 1 Bourdon, 16 feet Wood; 2 Open Diapason, 8 feet Metal; 3 Dulciana, 8 feet Metal; 4 Melodia, 8 feet Wood; 5 Octave, 4 Metal; 6 Fluted d'amour, 4 feet Wood & Metal; 7 Twelfth, 3 feet Metal; 8 Fifteenth, 2 feet Metal; 9 Mixture, 3 ranks Metal; 10 Trumpet, 8 feet Metal.

SWELL ORGAN. 11 Open Diapason, 8 feet Metal; 12 Salicional, 8 feet Metal; 13 Stopped Diapason, 8 feet Wood; 14 Flute Harmonique, 4 feet Metal; 15 Violina, 4 feet Metal; 16 Piccolo, 2 feet Metal; 17 Mixture, 2 ranks Metal; 18 Oboe, 8 feet Metal.

PEDAL ORGAN. 19 Open Diapason, 16 feet Wood; 20 Bourdon, 16 feet Wood.

MECHANICAL REGISTERS. 21 Swell to Great; 22 Great to Pedal; 23 Swell to Pedal; 24 Tremolo; 25 Bellows signal.

New Wailuku Hotel.

A lease has just been made by Geo. Lycouris of the Herbert residence at Wailuku, and the premises will be used in the future as a hotel and seaside resort a la carte. There are ten guests already registered.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

NATIVE FANS AND ISLAND CURIOS in great variety at THE ELITE ICE CREAM PARLORS.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE Annual Meeting of the Hawaiian Coffee and Tea Company, will be held on THURSDAY, May 4th, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the chamber of Commerce Room.

All stockholders are expected to be present to elect officers for the coming year, and to listen to the Manager's Report.

WM. W. HALL, Secretary H. C. & T. Co.

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HISTORICAL DATA.

Complete Roster of the Boston's Officers Who Were Here January 17th.

EDITOR STARR:—In the interests of historical accuracy I wish you would print the names of the officers of the Boston who were here when the American flag was raised and who took such a part in the events of the protectorate. It will be valuable data by and by when the history of those stirring days shall come to be written and when, unless the press makes record of the names now, they may not be easy to find.

The names are as follows:

Capt. Gilbert C. Wiltse, Commanding. Lieutenant Com. Wm. T. Burnside. Lieutenant Edwin K. Moore. Lieutenant Lucien Young. Lieutenant Chas. Laird. Lieutenant, Jr. Grade, Wm. R. Rush. Ensign Levi C. Bert. Naval Cadets: Henry C. K. Jentli, Waldo Evans, Wm. D. Bratherton, Jas. E. Carter, Geo. Richards, Joel R. P. Pringle, John T. Meyers. Surgeon, Alex. F. Magruder. Post Asst. Surgeon, Thos. C. Craig. Paymaster, I. Goodwin Hobbs. Chief Eng. Fred G. McKean. Past Asst. Eng. Geo. S. Willis. Asst. Eng. Robt. E. Carney. Naval Cadet (eng. div.) Chas. R. Emrich. First Lieutenant Marines, Herbert L. Draper. Asst. Gunner, Jos. R. Ward. Carpenter, Benj. E. Markham.

THE DREDGER'S WORK.

Progress of the Cut Being made Off the Wharves.

The dredger is doing good work ten hours a day and has cut a swath 30 feet deep and 200 feet wide Ewa from the Waikiki end of the mail dock to where she is now anchored off Wilder Street, which she will complete by Friday next. The Pacific dock will then be ready for the Steamer Oceanic to San Francisco Saturday. The dredger will be moved next week to the Oceanic Dock, where she will dredge to the required depth, and from thence continue to Brewer's wharf, where there is a big lot of work to occupy her for some time. The depression near the new market is now completely filled with detritus, and presents an even appearance of good solid earth.

Maui Notes.

There was a mass meeting of native annexationists at the Hamakuaapoko church on the 27th. President Kalua called the meeting to order and Peter Noa was chosen secretary. Interest- ing speeches were made by J. L. Dumas of Waihee, Rev. T. L. Gulick, Helekuinihi, L. A. Andrews and J. W. Kalua. John Kalama spoke in opposition. The roll of the club now numbers 700 names.

Rev. T. L. Gulick will go to the World's Fair and Rev. Thomas Frazer of California will supply his pulpit.

The schooner Anna has arrived at Kahului, from San Francisco delivered her cargo of general merchandise and cleared for the coast with 3500 bags of Paia sugar.

The Kikikat will leave for San Francisco next Monday; also the Katy Flickenger.

At the Leper Colony.

The committee of the Board of Health, consisting of Hon. W. O. Smith, Dr. Andrews, Dr. Day, J. T. Waterhouse Jr., and C. B. Reynolds, accompanied by Minister King, Dr. F. J. B. Cordeiro of the Adams, Dr. Dellameter and Miss Carroll of the Queen's hospital are making a thorough inspection of the leper settlement. There are now 1084 patients on Molokai.

In Care of a Kahuna.

A native girl climbed a mango tree back of the Nuuanu street cemetery on the Ewa side yesterday, and while shaking it for fruit lost her grip and fell. She struck on her side and received internal injuries. Her friends took her, while insensible, to a kahuna and at last accounts she was in a bad way.

Repairing an Organ.

Mr. S. M. Clark the organ builder who erected the Central Union organ, commenced work this morning on the organ in the Fort street Church. He will rebuild the instrument. It has not yet been used since it was moved from the old Central Union Church.

The Mohican Aground.

The Mohican started to pull out for Port Townsend this afternoon, but in trying to get away from her moorings her stern got stuck in the mud and her line was fouled in the propeller. As the STAR goes to press efforts are being made to get her off.

Base Ball.

The ball game Saturday between the Crescents and Hawaiis was an exciting event and resulted in a score of 9 to 7 in favor of the Crescents. Mr. Berger's band was present. Next Saturday the Hawaiis will cross bats with the Kamehamehas.

Wants the Cruiser to Stay.

Minister Wodehouse has written his home government asking that the cruiser Hyacinth be allowed to remain on this station until the pending political troubles shall have been settled. He thinks that British interests here may need special protection.

The Flag on Tantalus.

A large American Flag measuring 18x12 feet, is reported to have been planted on mount Tantalus yesterday. It was there all day but disappeared at night. No one knows exactly who put it there, who saw it there, or who took it away.

New Advertisements.

Base Ball:

Hawaii

VS.

Kamehameha.

SATURDAY, APRIL 29th,

3-30 P. M.

Hawaiian Baseball

Assn. Grounds.

ADMISSION:

Adults, 25 cents; Children, 10 cents.

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Teacher of Piano.

RESIDENCE: Mr. W. Happon's King

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Mrs. Tucker is an experienced teacher of theory and the method of teaching have been approved by some of the most celebrated musicians of London and Boston, Mass.

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